

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

415 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 100, Redding, CA 96002

PUBLIC HEARING

concerning

Consideration of Water Recycling Requirements
for

**GLENN COUNTY MOSQUITO AND VECTOR CONTROL DISTRICT
AND
CITY OF WILLOWS
MOSQUITO FISH REARING PONDS
GLENN COUNTY**

The Glenn County Mosquito and Vector Control District and the City of Willows (hereafter User), owns three mosquito fish rearing ponds (hereafter Use Area) proposes to recycle disinfected advanced secondary recycled water from the City of Willows Wastewater Treatment Plant, hereafter (Producer). The Producer owns and operates a wastewater collection system (sewer system) and wastewater treatment plant (Plant), and provides sewer service to domestic and commercial users within the City of Willows and Northeast Willows Community Service District in Glenn County.

The Producer's facility is located near the northwest boundary of the City of Willows property, where the three mosquito fish rearing ponds are located. The Producer's facility includes influent screening, extended aeration activated sludge, secondary clarifiers, continuous backwash filters, disinfections with sodium hypochlorite, dechlorination using calcium thiosulfate, equalization and emergency storage ponds, and sludge storage lagoons.

The Producer's Plant has a design average dry weather flow of 1.2 mgd. Treated effluent from the Plant is discharged to either Agricultural Drain C or the Glenn Colusa Irrigation District's canal. The Plant is designed to provide advanced secondary treatment with average concentrations of BOD less than 10 mg/L; and average suspended solids less than 10 mg/L. The Plant is regulated under Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R5-2006-0009 (NPDES No. CA0078034).

An **informal** public hearing concerning this matter will be held during the Regional Board meeting, which is scheduled for:

DATE: **21 and 22 June 2007**
TIME: 8:30 am
PLACE: Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
11020 Sun Center Drive, #200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670-6114

Persons wishing to comment on this noticed hearing item must submit testimony, evidence, and or comments in writing to the Regional Board no later than **8 June 2007**. Written testimony, evidence, or comments submitted after **8 June 2007** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

All interested persons may speak at the Regional Board meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony will be limited in time by the Regional Board Chair.

An objection by a party, either in writing or at the time of the hearing, to the decision to hold a hearing not allowing cross-examination and rebuttal testimony by designated parties shall be resolved by the Board Chair before going ahead under the proposed procedures. Failure to make a timely objection to the use of the proposed hearing procedure before those procedures are used will constitute consent to those procedures.

Anyone having questions regarding this issue should contact Greg Cash at (530) 224-3208. Interested parties may download the proposed Orders and related documents from the Regional Board Internet website at <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/tentative/index.html>. The proposed item and related documents may also be inspected and copied at the Regional Board's office at 415 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 100, Redding, California, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m

The procedures governing Regional Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq. and is available upon request. Hearings before the Regional Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11500 et seq. The procedures may be obtained by accessing http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_laws/index.html. Information on meeting and hearing procedures is also available on the Regional Board's website at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/rwqcb5/board_meetings/mtgprocd.html or by contacting any one of the Regional Board's offices. Questions regarding such procedures should be directed to Ms. Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi at (916) 464-4839.

The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi at (916) 464-4839 at least 5 working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

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